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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Leo J. Romanczyk, et al.  
Serial No.: 10/798,131 Confirmation No.: 5849  
Filed: March 11, 2004 Customer No.: 26345  
Title: "Synthetic Methods for Preparing Procyanidin Oligomers"  
Examiner: E. Sackey TC/A.U.: 1626<sup>1</sup>

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is submitted in response to the Restriction Requirement mailed February 6, 2006. A response was due March 6, 2006. A Petition for a Two Month Extension of Time to May 6, 2006 is requested. The requisite fee should be charged to the Deposit Account identified on page 2.

Restriction has been required as follows:

Group I - Claims 59-73 directed to a process for preparing a partially protected procyanidin dimer, classified in class 549, subclass 399+;

<sup>1</sup> Restriction Requirement